

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: NEW YORK INCIDENT

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1. TELEPHONED ROMULO THIS MORNING TO SAY I WAS DISTURBED BY WORD RECEIVED THAT THE PURSUIT OF THE INVESTIGATION APPEARED TO BE CONTINUING. THIS CONTRADICTED WHAT I HAD UNDERSTOOD EARLIER IN THE WEEK AND ON THE BASIS OF WHICH I HAD BRIEFED HIM LAST MONDAY (REFTEL A). ADVISED THAT USUN HAD REPLIED TO AMBASSADOR YANGO'S DRAFT MEMORANDUM PUTTING IN BETTER FOCUS HIS SUMMING UP OF INTERVIEWS WITH POLICE AND FILIPINO WITNESSES. I WISHED DRAW FONMIN'S PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO PHRASE YANGO HAD USED IN HIS DRAFT THAT APPEARED TO LEAVE OPEN THE POSSIBILITY OF OUR "AGREEING ON SUCH FURTHER MEASURES THAT MAY BE WARRANTED." SAID FOR OUR PART WE VERY MUCH HOPED THAT AMBASSADOR YANGO WOULD AGREE WITH OUR REDRAFT WHICH DOES NOT RAISE QUESTION OF PURSUING "FURTHER MEASURES."

2. COMMENTED THAT USUN UNCERTAIN WHETHER AMBASSADOR YANGO FULLY APPRECIATED THAT OBJECT OF EXERCISE AS MARCOS AND FONMIN HAD DISCUSSED IT WITH ME WAS PUTTING INCIDENT BEHIND US THROUGH RECONCILIATION OF POLICE AND FILIPINOS INVOLVED.

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SAID THERE WAS FURTHER MEETING SCHEDULED FOR 0900 NEW YORK TIME TODAY AND ASKED IF GENERAL THOUGHT THAT FURTHER MESSAGE FROM HIM TO YANGO MIGHT BE USEFUL.

3. ROMULO SAID HE HAS STILL RECEIVED NO REPORT FROM YANGO. HE ASKED IF I THOUGHT LAST WEEK'S "CONFRONTATION" HAD ACHIEVED ITS PURPOSE. SAID THAT CERTAINLY WAS MY UNDER-

STANDING SINCE THE MEETINGS REPORTEDLY HAD ENDED AMICABLY  
WITH HANDSHAKES ALL AROUND.

4. ROMULO PROMISED HE WOULD TELEPHONE YANGO IMMEDIATELY TO  
REVIEW PRESENT STATE OF PLAY. MURPHY

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